

# Basic Detail Report

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**Tommaso Morlino and Enrico Berlinguer,**

**Luigi Gui in the row behind on the right, at an event**

## **Date**

1969-1979

## **Medium**

gelatin silver print

## **Description**

Tommaso Morlino and Enrico Berlinguer, Luigi Gui in the row behind on the right. Tommaso Morlino was president of the senate and part of the PCI. Enrico Berlinguer was national secretary of the Italian Communist Party (Partito Comunista Italiano or PCI) from 1972 until his death. In 1973, having been hospitalised after a car accident during a visit to Bulgaria (now widely considered an attempt on his life on orders from Moscow), Berlinguer wrote three famous articles ("Reflections on Italy", "After the facts of Chile" and "After the Coup [in Chile]") for the intellectual weekly magazine of the party, Rinascita. In these he presented the strategy of the so-called Historic Compromise, a proposed coalition between the Italian Communist Party and the Christian Democrats to grant Italy a period of political stability, at a time of severe economic crisis and in a context in which some forces were allegedly manoeuvring for a coup d'état in Italy. Luigi Gui was an Italian politician and philosopher. Gui was born in Padua. He graduated in philosophy at The Catholic University in Milan. He was an officer of the Alpini corps of the Italian Army, and fought in USSR during World War II.

## **Dimensions**

Overall: 28.5 x 20.5 cm (11 2/8 x 8 in.)

